



VERIFICATION ACADEMY

Basic OVM

Introducing Transactions

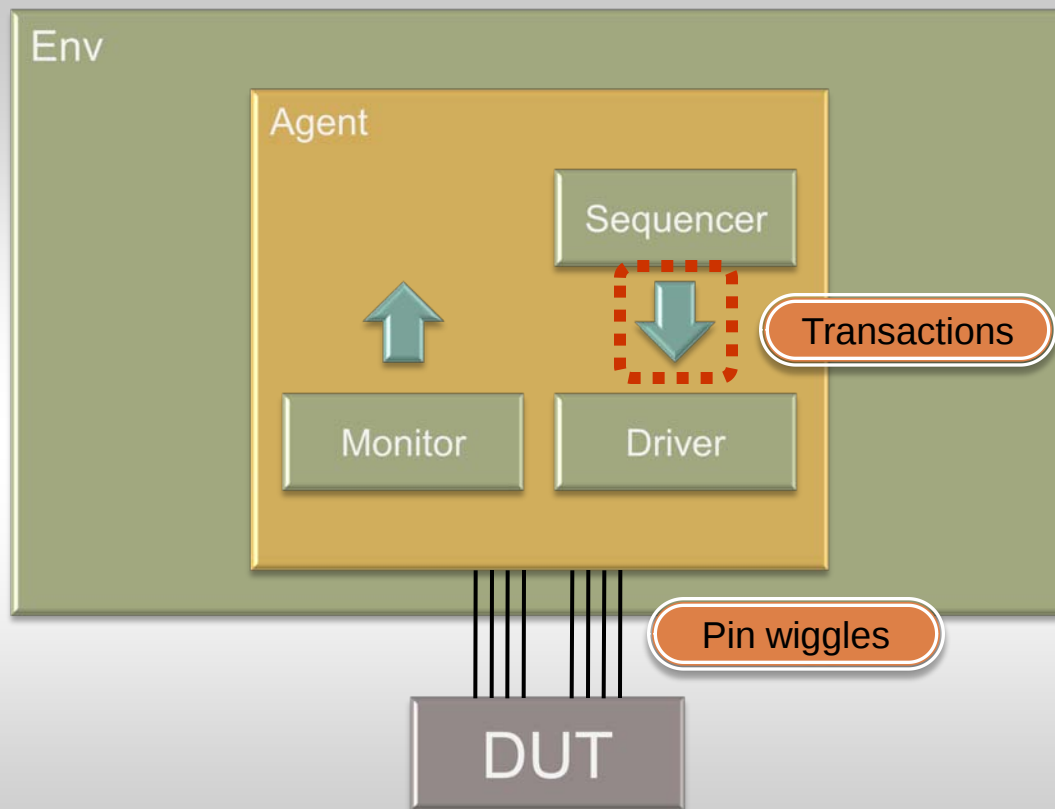
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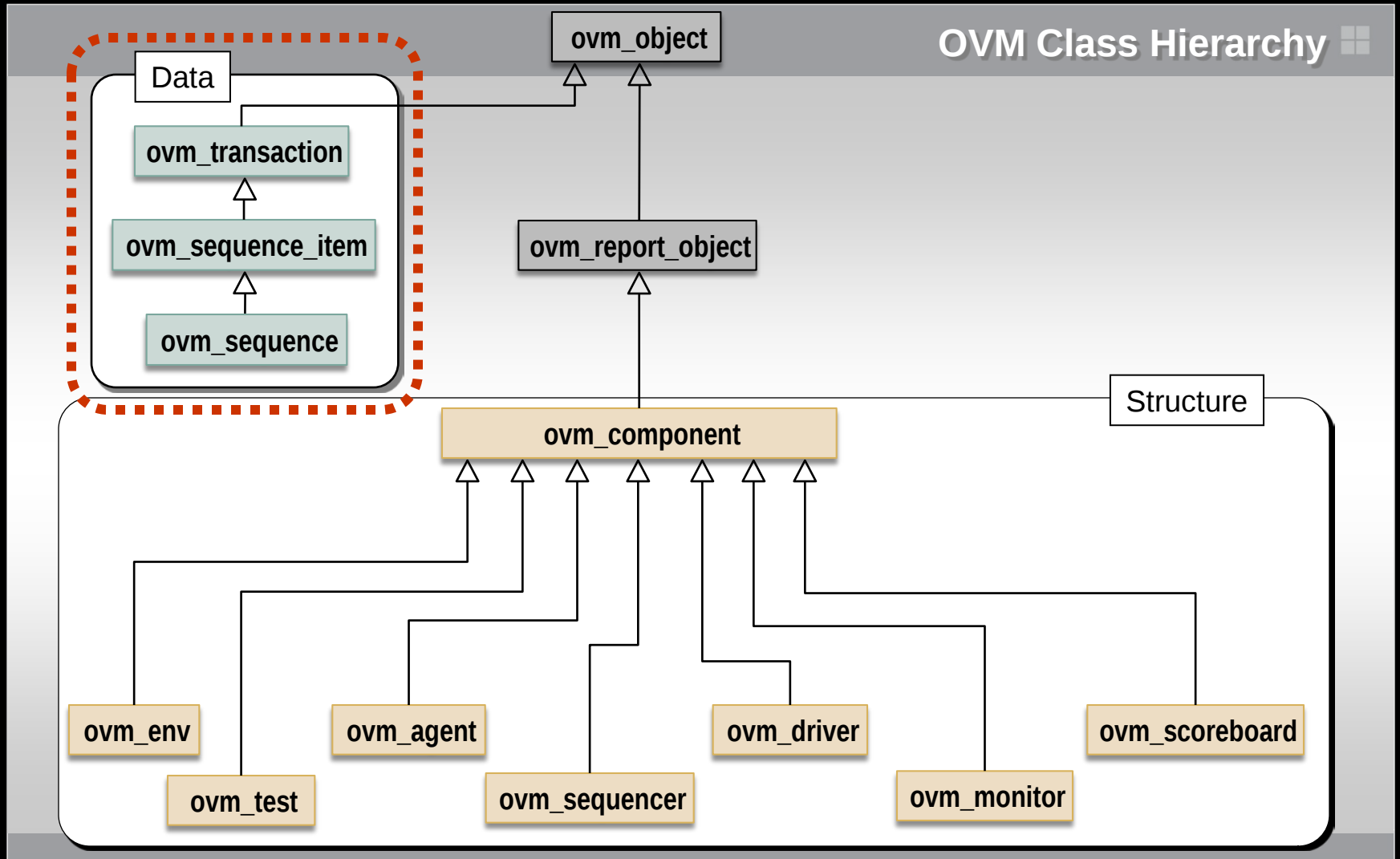


Sequencer and Driver





OVM Class Hierarchy





Transaction

```
class my_transaction extends ovm_sequence_item;
```



Transaction

```
class my_transaction extends ovm_sequence_item;  
    `ovm_object_utils(my_transaction)
```



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class my_transaction extends ovm_sequence_item;

    `ovm_object_utils(my_transaction)

    rand bit cmd;
    rand int addr;
    rand int data;

    constraint c_addr { addr >= 0; addr < 256; }
    constraint c_data { data >= 0; data < 256; }
```



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    `ovm_object_utils(my_transaction)

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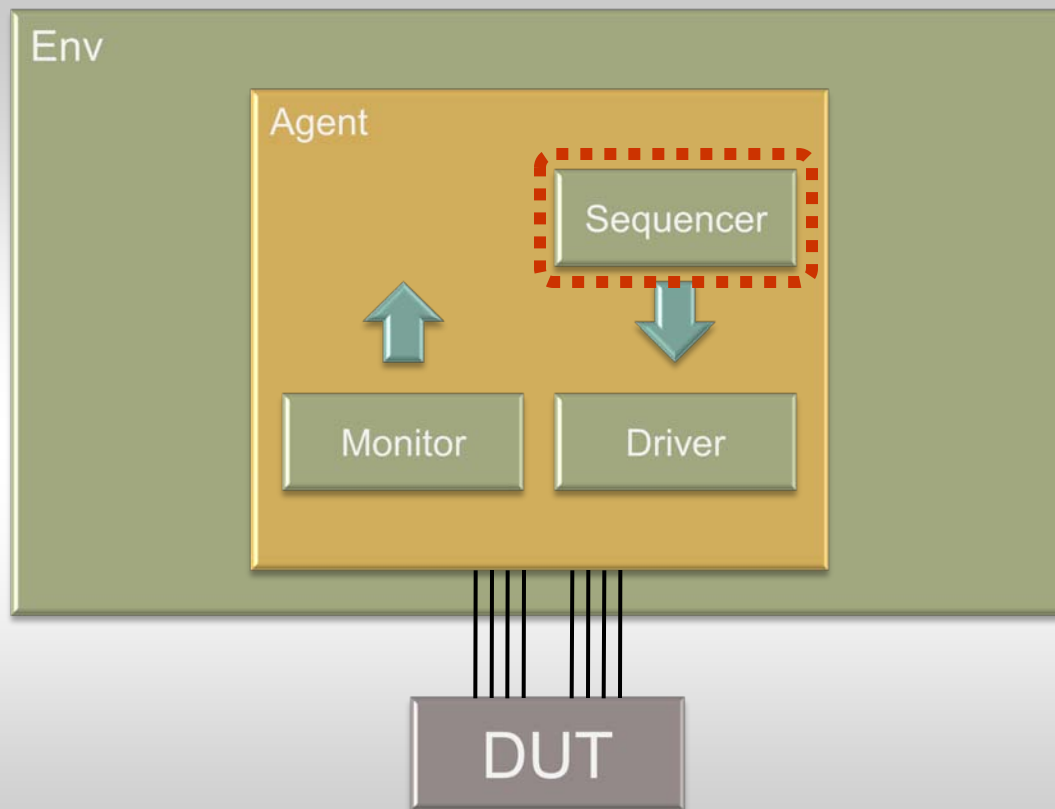
    constraint c_addr { addr >= 0; addr < 256; }
    constraint c_data { data >= 0; data < 256; }

    function new (string name = "");
        super.new(name);
    endfunction: new

endclass: my_transaction
```



Sequencer and Driver





ovm_sequencer 

```
class my_sequencer extends ovm_sequencer ...
```



ovm_sequencer 

```
class my_sequencer extends ovm_sequencer #(my_transaction);
```



```
class my_sequencer extends ovm_sequencer #(my_transaction);  
  
  `ovm_component_utils(my_sequencer)  
  
  function new(string name, ovm_component parent);  
    super.new(name, parent);  
  endfunction: new  
  
endclass: my_sequencer
```



ovm_sequence 

```
class my_sequence extends ovm_sequence #(my_transaction);
```



ovm_sequence 

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class my_sequence extends ovm_sequence #(my_transaction);  
  `ovm_object_utils(my_sequence)
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class my_sequence extends ovm_sequence #(my_transaction);  
    `ovm_object_utils(my_sequence)  
  
    function new (string name = "");  
        super.new(name);  
    endfunction: new
```

ovm_sequence

```
class my_sequence extends ovm_sequence #(my_transaction);  
  
  `ovm_object_utils(my_sequence)  
  
  function new (string name = "");  
    super.new(name);  
  endfunction: new  
  
  task body;  
    ...
```

The behavior of the sequence



ovm_sequence 

```
task body;  
  forever  
  begin  
  
  
  
  
  
  
end  
endtask: body
```



```
task body;  
  forever  
  begin  
    my_transaction tx;  
    tx = my_transaction::type_id::create("tx");  
  
  end  
endtask: body
```

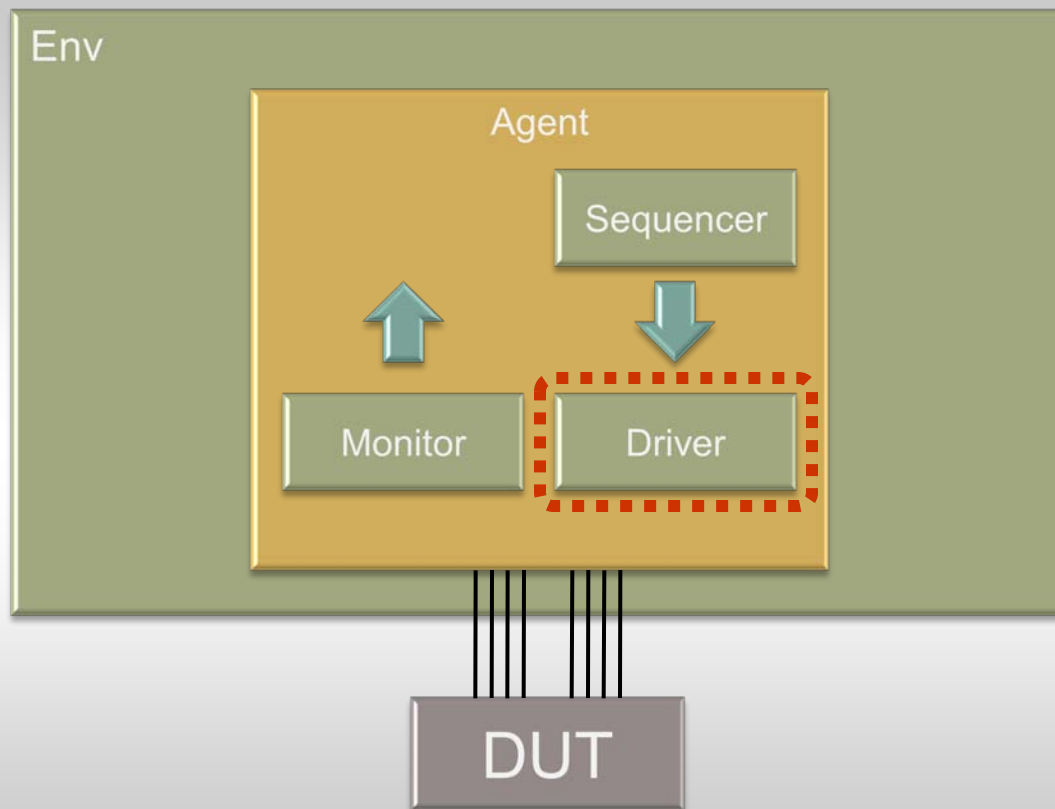
"Factory method" can be overridden in tests



```
task body;  
  forever  
  begin  
    my_transaction tx;  
    tx = my_transaction::type_id::create("tx");  
    start_item(tx);  
    assert( tx.randomize() );  
    finish_item(tx);  
  end  
endtask: body
```



Sequencer and Driver





```
class my_driver extends ovm_driver #(my_transaction);
```



```
class my_driver extends ovm_driver #(my_transaction);  
  `ovm_component_utils(my_driver)  
  
  virtual dut_if dut_vi;  
  
  function new(string name, ovm_component parent);  
    super.new(name, parent);  
  endfunction: new  
  
  function void build;  
    super.build();  
    ...  
  
  task run;  
    ...
```



```
task run;
  repeat(4)
  begin
    my_transaction tx;
    @(posedge dut_vi.clock);

end

endtask: run
```



```
task run;
  repeat(4)
  begin
    my_transaction tx;
    @(posedge dut_vi.clock);
    seq_item_port.get(tx);

  end

endtask: run
```



```
task run;
  repeat(4)
  begin
    my_transaction tx;
    @(posedge dut_vi.clock);
    seq_item_port.get(tx);

    dut_vi.cmd  = tx.cmd;
    dut_vi.addr = tx.addr;
    dut_vi.data = tx.data;
  end

endtask: run
```

Pin wiggles



```
task run;
  repeat(4)
  begin
    my_transaction tx;
    @(posedge dut_vi.clock);
    seq_item_port.get(tx);

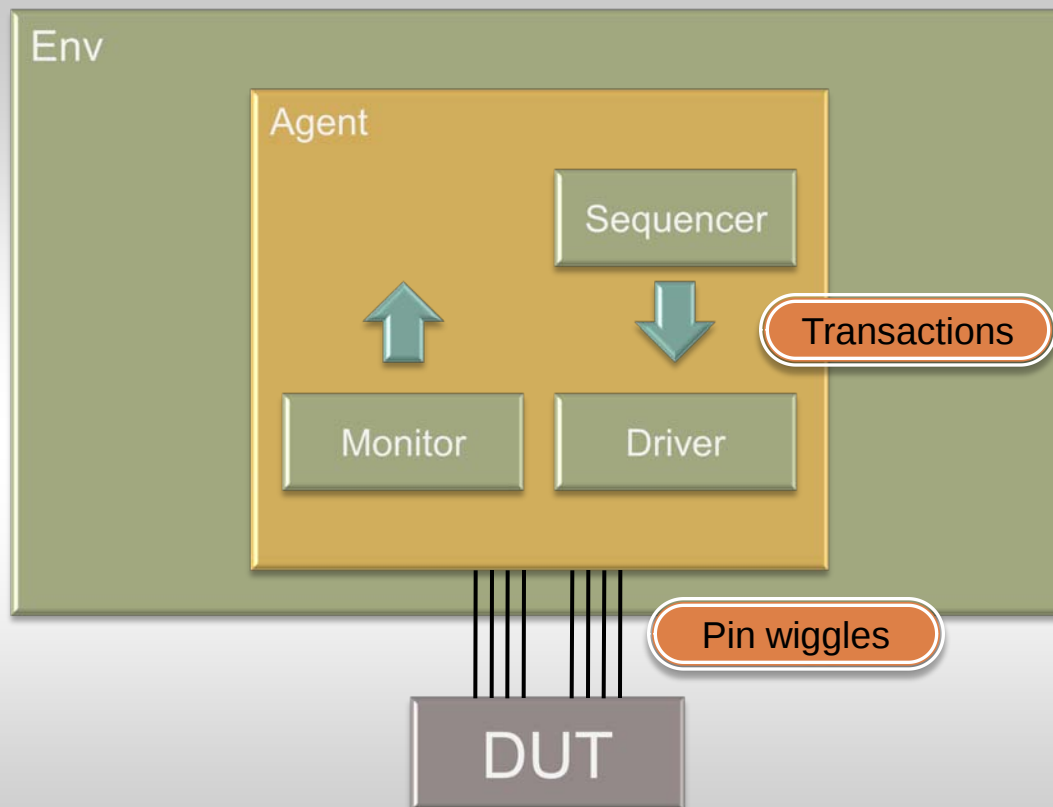
    dut_vi.cmd  = tx.cmd;
    dut_vi.addr = tx.addr;
    dut_vi.data = tx.data;
  end

  @(posedge dut_vi.clock) ovm_top.stop_request();

endtask: run
```



Summary





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